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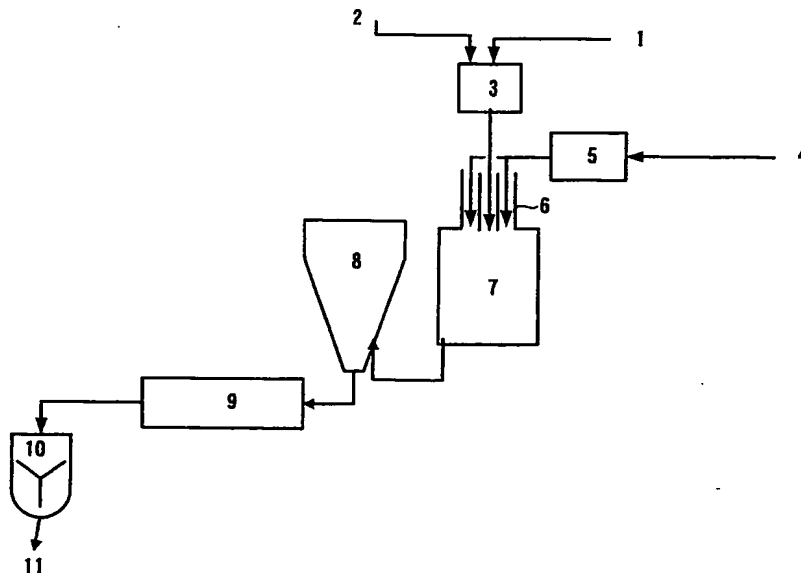
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SITY, TITANIA-SILICA MIXED CRYSTAL PARTICLES OBTAINED BY THE PROCESS AND USES THEREOF



(57) Abstract: A process for producing titania-silica mixed crystal particles having a high bulk density and comprising titanium oxide as the main component and silicon oxide as a subsidiary component, the process comprising decomposing a gaseous titanium halide and a gaseous silicon halide, each heated at 600°C or more in the presence of oxygen or water vapor heated at 600°C or more, heating the obtained powder at 300 to 600°C to decrease the concentration of raw material-originated hydrogen halide in the powder to 1 mass% or less, and then subjecting the powder to a treatment of dissociating the aggregated or steric structure.



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